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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Fumiyasu HIRAI et al.**

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Serial No.: **09/961,265**

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CANNABINOID (as herein amended)**

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2004, Applicants amend the claims as follows and submit the following remarks.

Amendment to the Title is noted on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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IN THE TITLE

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